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Mr. Hal S. Dumas
Executive Vice President
American Telephone and
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195 Broadway
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Dear Mr. Dumas:

I wish to thank you for your letter of 3 June in which you very kindly invited me to attend a luncheon following the presentation of "Telecommunications in Mobilization and Emergency" on 9 June.

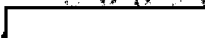
Unfortunately, as I have explained to Mr. Fleming, I will be unable to attend the presentation and consequently the luncheon because of a previous commitment. Your Washington Office has been notified to this effect.

I do appreciate your thoughtfulness in asking me.

Sincerely,



Allen W. Dulles
Director

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